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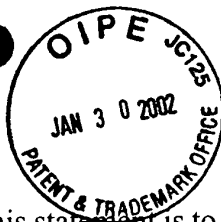
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Sir:

Applicant discloses to the Examiner under 37 CFR 1.56, and 37 CFR 1.97-1.98, as revised (1135 OG 13) and effective March 16, 1992, the information listed on the attached form PTO - 1449. This information may be found to be material to this invention under the current applicable patent law and as interpreted by the US PTO Rules, as cited above. Review and consideration of the listed references/information during substantive examination of this application is respectfully requested.

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